

**City Council  
Virtual Workforce & Business Development Committee Meeting**

Monday, August 10, 2020 at 11:30am

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Committee Members:       James Mitchell, Chair  
                                  Tariq Bokhari, Vice Chair  
                                  Dimple Ajmera  
                                  Malcolm Graham  
                                  Renee Johnson

Staff Resource:               Tracy Dodson, City Manager's Office

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**AGENDA**

- I.       **Review of Committee Referral Topics – 10 minutes**  
          *Council Member James Mitchell, Committee Chair*  
          *Staff: Tracy Dodson, City Manager's Office*  
          Action: Council Member Mitchell will share a list of topics referred to the Committee.
  
- II.      **Open for Business – Survive and Thrive Initiatives – 70 minutes**  
          *Staff: Tracy Dodson, City Manager's Office*  
          *Guest: Laura Smith, Executive Vice President, Foundation for the Carolinas*  
          Action: Staff will provide an update on Survive and Thrive Initiatives to address the Committee's feedback from their July 28<sup>th</sup> Committee meeting.
  
- III.     **Tax Increment Grants (TIG) Overview – 15 minutes**  
          *Staff: Todd DeLong, Economic Development Department*  
          Action: Staff will provide an overview of the Tax Increment Grant program and discuss with the Committee opportunities for enhancing the program to meet the current community goals and objectives.
  
- II.      **Next Meeting: Monday, September 14, 2020 at 2:00pm**